

Supporting Materials

# Enhanced In Vitro Cascade Catalysis of Glycerol into Pyruvate and Acetoin by Integration with Dihydroxy Acid Dehydratase from *Paralcaligenes ureilyticus*

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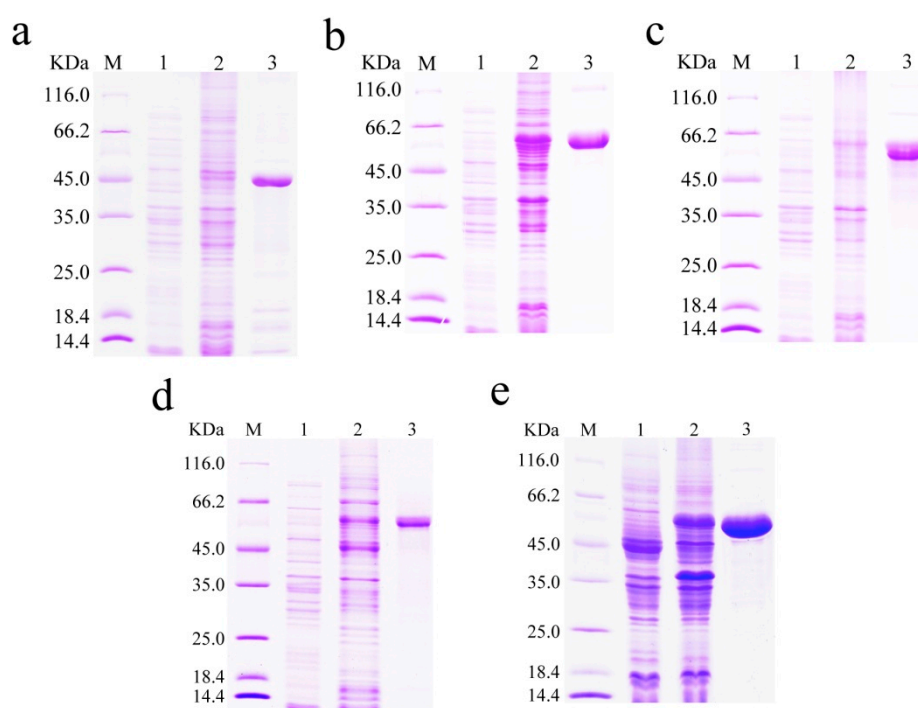
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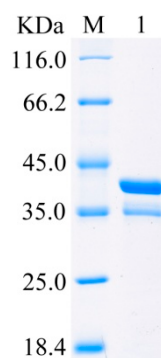
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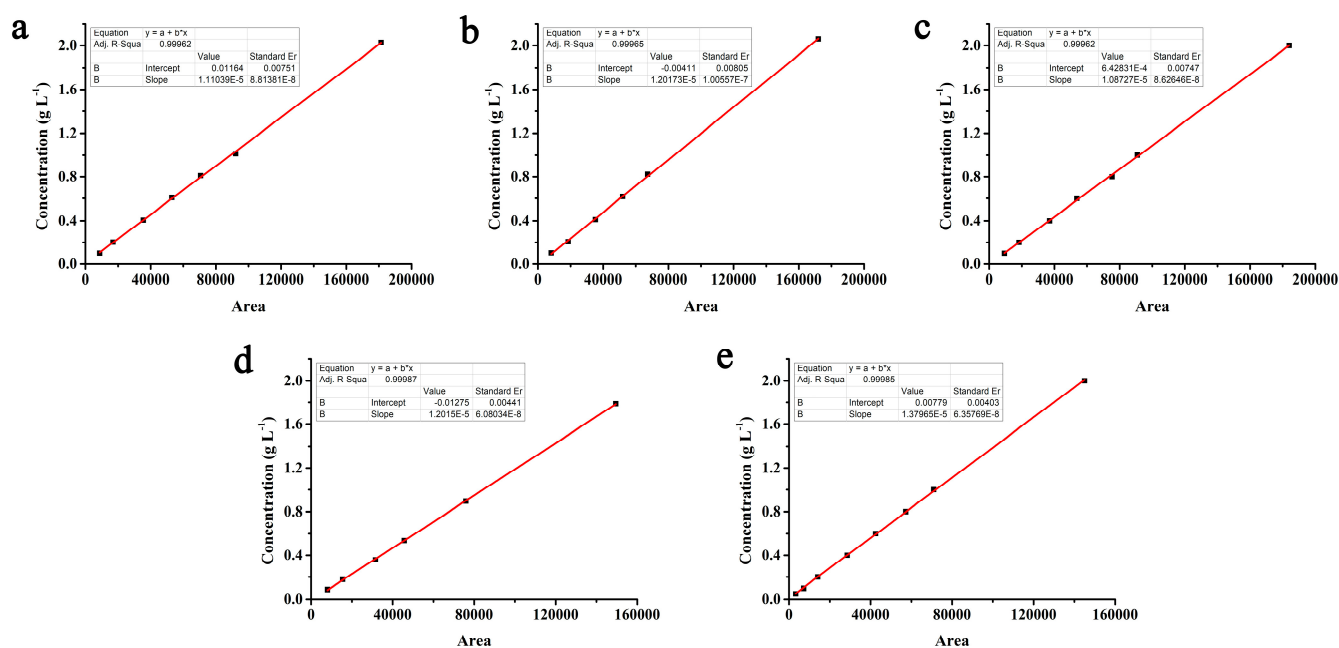
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**Figure S1.** SDS-PAGE results of the purification of ScALDO, SsDHAD, CcXylD, PuDHT, and ZmPDC. (a) ScALDO. (b) SsDHAD. (c) CcXylD. (d) PuDHT. (e) ZmPDC. Lane M, molecular mass marker; lane 1, crude extract of *E. coli* BL21(DE3); lane 2, crude extracts of *E. coli* BL21(DE3) harboring expression vectors of different proteins; lane 3, purified target proteins.



**Figure S2.** SDS-PAGE result of the purification of PaLdhA. Lane M, molecular mass marker; lane 1, purified PaLdhA.



**Figure S3.** Calibration curves for the concentrations assayed by HPLC. (a) Glycerol. (b) Glyceraldehyde. (c) Glycerate. (d) Pyruvate. (e) Acetoin.

Table S1. Strains, plasmids, and primers used in this study.

Strain, plasmid and primer	Description	Source
<b>Strain</b>		
<i>E. coli</i> DH5 $\alpha$	F <sup>-</sup> $\phi$ 80 <i>lacZ</i> $\Delta$ M15 $\Delta$ ( <i>lacZYA-argF</i> )U169 <i>deoR recA1 endA1 hsdR17</i> (r $\kappa^-$ , m $\kappa^+$ ) <i>phoA supE44</i> $\lambda^-$ <i>thi-1 gyrA96 relA1</i>	Novagen
<i>E. coli</i> DH5 $\alpha$ /pETDuet–PaLdhA	<i>E. coli</i> DH5 $\alpha$ expressing PaLdhA from <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1	This study
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)	F <sup>-</sup> <i>ompT hsdSB</i> (rB <sup>-</sup> mB <sup>-</sup> ) <i>gal</i> ( $\lambda$ c I 857 <i>ind1 Sam7 nin5 lacUV5-T7gene1</i> ) <i>dcm</i> (DE3)	Novagen
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pETDuet–ScALDO	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing ScALDO from <i>Streptomyces coelicolor</i> A3 with mutants (V125M/A244T)	[1]
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pETDuet–SsDHAD	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing SsDHAD from <i>Sulfolobus solfataricus</i>	[1]
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pET28a–PuDHT	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing PuDHT from <i>Paralcaligenes ureilyticus</i>	This study
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pET28a–CcXylD	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing CcXylD from <i>Caulobacter crescentus</i>	This study
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pETDuet–ZmPDC	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing ZmPDC from <i>Zymomonas mobile</i>	[2]
<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3)/pETDuet–PaLdhA	<i>E. coli</i> BL21(DE3) expressing PaLdhA from <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1	This study
<b>Plasmid</b>		
pETDuet-1	Vector for protein expression, Ap <sup>r</sup>	Novagen
pET28a–PuDHT	pET28a(+) carrying <i>puDht</i> gene from <i>Paralcaligenes ureilyticus</i>	General Biology
pETDuet–PaLdhA	pETDuet carrying <i>ldhA</i> gene from <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1	This study
pET28a–CcXylD	pET28a(+) carrying <i>xylD</i> gene from <i>Caulobacter crescentus</i>	[3]
<b>Primer</b>		
<b>Sequence (5' <math>\rightarrow</math> 3')<sup>1</sup></b>		
PaLdhA-F	CGCGGATCCCGATGCGCATCCTGTTCTT (BamHI)	This study
PaLdhA-R	CCCAAGCTTTCAGGCCCGGACCCGATT (HindIII)	This study

<sup>1</sup> Restriction sites are underlined and the restriction enzymes are indicated in parentheses.

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